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DISTRIBUTION OF DIGITAL COPYRIGHTED
MATERIAL USING A MULTI-LEVEL
MARKETING MODEL**
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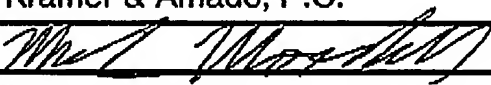
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Claims 1, 3-27 are pending in the present application of which claim 1, 12, 14 and 16 are independent. Claims 14-20 are withdrawn.

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